

 <p style="text-align: center;">Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NOTICE OF CHANGE TO DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS MANUAL</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chapter 6, Article 5, Subsection 62010.4.3.1, “R” Suffix</p>	<p>Transmittal Letter Number: 06-14</p>
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The purpose of this document is to provide Department Operations Manual (DOM) holders with information regarding revisions to Chapter 6, Article 5, Subsection 62010.4.3.1, “R” Suffix. This revised Article has been developed to bring the application of the “R” suffix in line with the court’s view on sex crimes by correlating the application of the “R” Suffix to the Penal Code (PC) Section 290 requirements. Inmates with court-imposed PC Section 290 registration requirements will no longer be allowed to be housed in a minimum custody setting, or be placed in work assignments that put them in contact with the public. The existing DOM Section is inadequate, leaves much open to interpretation, and is driving unnecessary classification actions for Classification Committees and the Departmental Review Board. This revision provides detail as to the process and requirements to affix an “R” suffix to an inmate’s degree of custody.

Please inform all persons concerned of the contents of this notice, which shall be maintained and the information contained in this document utilized, until it is incorporated into the next updated DOM. Please direct any inquiries regarding this notice to Timothy A. Lockwood, Chief, Regulation and Policy Management Branch, at (916) 341-7390.

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